

PUBLIC NOTICE

PERMIT APPLICATION: NRS07.019

APPLICANT: Knoxville Utilities Board
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LOCATION: Roseberry Creek, Molly Branch, and unnamed tributaries,

WATERSHED DESCRIPTION: Roseberry Creek stream segment ID is TN06010104001_0500. It is classified for livestock watering and wildlife (supporting), fish and aquatic life (supporting), recreation (non-supporting), and irrigation (supporting). The cause is for recreation non-support is escherichia coli. The source is listed as grazing in riparian or shoreline zones and on-site treatment systems (septic systems and similar decentralized systems).

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The proposed activity is associated with the Northeast Area Collection System Improvements, Bud Hawkins Gravity Sewer Extension. The activity includes construction of approximately 14,700 linear feet of 21-inch diameter gravity sewer to accommodate wastewater demands. The proposed gravity sewer will replace the existing wastewater pumping station and force main. The proposed trunk sewer is proposed to cross Roseberry Creek 3 times, Molly Branch once, and 4 unnamed tributaries. The proposed alignment includes crossing of a wetland about 275 linear feet. Approximately 1,800 linear feet of this project is proposed to be installed via tunneling. The remainder would be installed using open trench methodology.

In accordance with the Tennessee Antidegradation Statement (Rule 1200-4-3-.06), the division has determined that the activity as proposed may result in degradation to water quality.

This notice may be viewed at the division's web site:
<http://www.state.tn.us/environment/wpc/ppo/arap>.

PERMIT COORDINATOR: Robert Baker

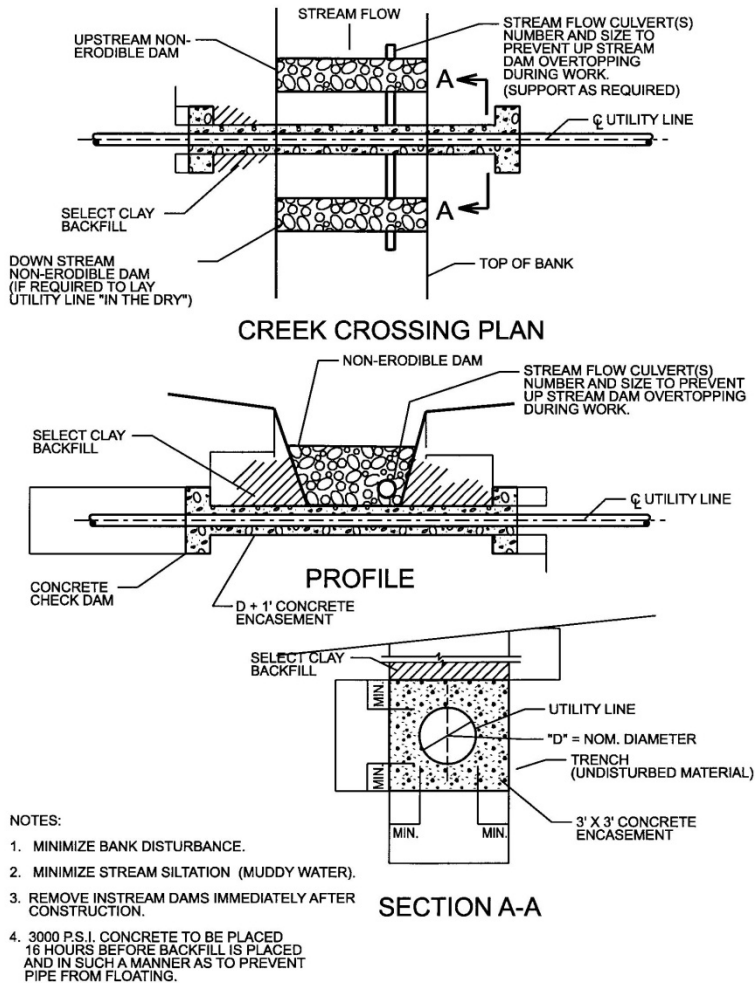
No decision has been made whether to issue or deny this permit. The purpose of this notice is to inform interested parties of this permit application and to ask for comments and information necessary to determine possible impacts to water quality. Persons wishing to comment on the proposal are invited to submit written comments to the department. Written comments must be received within **thirty days of the date that this notice is posted**. Comments will become part of the record and will be considered in the final decision. The applicant's name and permit number should be referenced.

Interested persons may also request in writing that the department hold a public hearing on this application. The request must be filed within the comment period, indicate the interest of the person requesting it, the reasons that the hearing is warranted, and the water quality issues being raised. When there is sufficient public interest in water quality issues, the department will hold a public hearing.

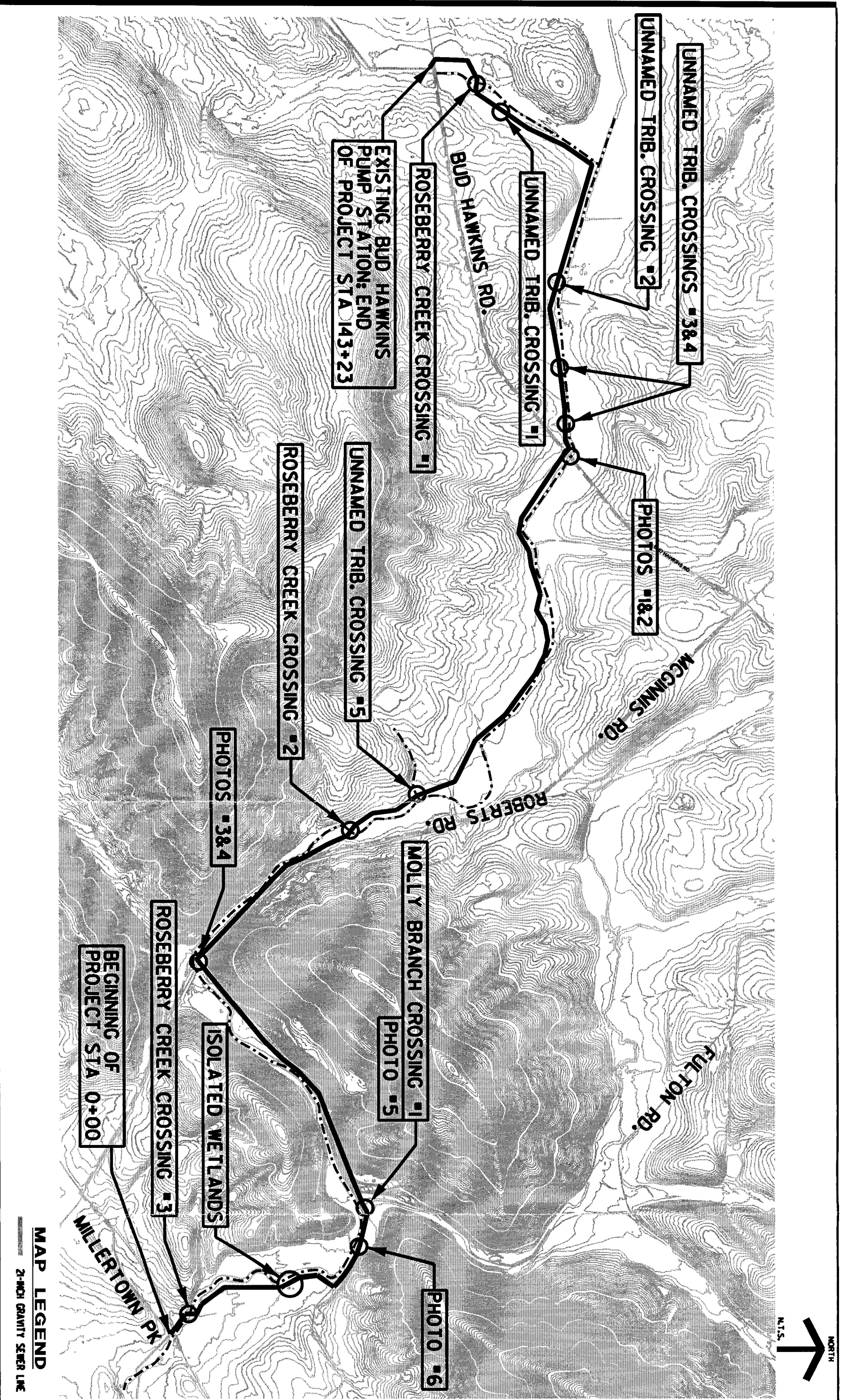
The permit application, supporting documentation including detailed plans and maps, and related comments are available at the department's address for review and/or copying.
The department's address is:

Tennessee Department of Environment & Conservation
Division of Water Pollution Control, Natural Resources Section
7th Floor L & C Annex
401 Church Street
Nashville, TN 37243

In deciding whether to issue or deny a permit, the department will consider all comments of record and the requirements of applicable federal and state laws. In making this decision, a determination will be made regarding the lost value of the resource compared to the value of any proposed mitigation. The department shall consider practicable alternatives to the alteration. The department shall also consider loss of waters or habitat, diminishment in biological diversity, cumulative or secondary impacts to the water resource, and adverse impact to unique, high quality, or impaired waters.



1 CONVENTIONAL CREEK CROSSING DETAIL NOT TO SCALE



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